

MUSICAL NOTES.

NORFOLK ACADEMY TO BE RE-BUILT—LATEST ADVICES FROM COMPOSERS.

The season at the Academy of Music will open Tuesday next with Field's Minstrels. A feature of the entertainment, of which Norfolk people should be proud, will be the singing by Mr. Harry Sheldon of "Sing Me a Song of the South," the latest popular ballad, written by Norfolk's noted team of song writers, George Norton and James W. Casey.

Hermann will be at the Academy of Music next Wednesday night. The sensational dance with electric light color effects, a feature of the show for the past eight seasons, has been replaced by a renowned musical quartette, the Lucifers, including one of America's finest contralto singers.

September will be a busy month at the Academy of Music. The attractions will be as follows: September 5th, The Turtle; 11th and 12th, The Telephone Girl; 13th, A Lady of Quality; 14th, Plaster of Paris; 19th, Madam Fifi; 20th and 21st, Mr. Bugle; 22d and 23d, Frederick Warde; 25th and 26th, Milledret & Rowland; 27th, Otis Skinner.

Mr. William Crowell, the well known baritone singer, has returned after spending a few weeks at New York. He will take things easy for awhile and then prepare for active musical work during this fall and winter.

Messrs. Norton & Casey will leave together next Thursday night on the Old Dominion steamer for New York city. They will take with them three new songs that they will submit to their publishers.

The male quartette, composed of E. L. Williams, R. C. Williams, Rafe Jacobs and R. W. Crocker, is practicing tri-weekly under the direction of Mr. E. L. Williams. This quartette will be heard from in local musical circles this winter.

The architect of the musical column yesterday received from Al G. Field a fac-simile of the original copy of Dixie's Land, composed by Daniel D. Emmett, in 1859, and now generally accepted as the melody of the South. It is a very interesting souvenir of one of the songs that will never die. The copy states that the piece was composed at New York. This statement we believe to be erroneous. On his visit to Norfolk last fall, Mr. Emmett informed a representative of the Virginian-Pilot that he wrote this famous song at his home in Ohio, where he still resides, enjoying a hale and hearty old age.

Dickinson's orchestra and brass band visited Norfolk Friday, accompanying the big excursion here of the Old Town Merchants, of Baltimore. The band gave a very pleasing street-concert and rendered charming music at Virginia Beach.

"Met and Parted" is the title of a new ballad by Mr. E. H. Shuster, of Norfolk, that is nearly ready for the publisher. Mr. Shuster is author of both words and music. This is his second publication, his first effort having been a two-step. He also has another two-step in course of composition.

The musical circles of Norfolk are to be congratulated on the success of Norfolk Conservatory of Music in securing as Professor of Voice Culture Mr. A. Howard Garrett, of New York, who has taught with eminent success in the Metropolitan Conservatory of Chicago, Cornell University, Thielia Conservatory and for the past two years at the Syracuse University. Mr. Garrett has studied with some of the most celebrated German and Italian masters of the day, and has made special study in the field of classical composition and German song under the famous master, Max Treumann. Mr. Garrett is the possessor of a beautiful, rich baritone voice, over which he has perfect control.

Prof. Charles Borjes will play for the last time to-day on St. Paul's Church.

Prof. Williams, who has taken charge of the art department of the Norfolk Conservatory of Music, is expected to arrive in Norfolk from New York on September 1st to prepare for his art exhibition, which will take place at the opening of the conservatory, about September 15th.

Prof. Bernard, of Philadelphia, a native of France and said to be a most successful teacher and linguist, has been engaged to teach French and Spanish at the Norfolk Conservatory of Music.

Mr. McKenzle Gordon, of New York, leading tenor in St. Bartholomew's Church of that city, was in Norfolk Friday, en route to Old Sweet Springs, West Virginia, where he will spend a few weeks. Mr. Gordon spent some time last summer at Virginia Beach, where his splendid and rich voice won him many admirers.

Before this time next year it is very probable that the Norfolk Academy of Music will be thoroughly rebuilt and the changes will make it a model, up-to-date place of amusement. Mr. Van Wyck is ready, if the conditions are satisfactory, to spend many thousands of dollars and the house will be so changed as to be unrecognizable to its present patrons.

The Academy of Music, at Richmond, is being rebuilt. All dates for it are cancelled up to the engagement of Frederick Ward, in the latter part of September. Manager Leath played Field's Minstrels Friday night at the Auditorium, Exposition Building.

The new theatre being built at Newport News, leased by Manager Leath, will not be ready for some weeks yet, and the Soldiers' Home will still be quarantined for some time. This narrows down the field for the Leath attractions to Norfolk for the present. Mr. Jos. Le Faucheur, who does the booking for the Soldiers' Home, has had to refuse several applications for September dates, but hopes to be able to book for that theatre in October.

C. & O. DIVIDENDS.

PAYMENT HAS STIMULATING EFFECT ON STOCK.

The Wall Street Journal, of August 23d, says:

"Chesapeake and Ohio made its initial bow as a dividend payer last week, when its directors decided to pay 1 per cent. out of the last year's surplus earnings. This action was fully justified by President Ingham's annual report, and it had a stimulating effect on the stock. It is a pretty good stock to have."

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BRAMBLETON WARD

Miss Mary E. Fanshaw, of No. 601 West Brambleton avenue, leaves this morning for Sewell's Point, on a two-weeks' visit to her friend, Mrs. John Walker.

Mr. Percy L. Clinton and family, of East Brambleton avenue, have returned from a pleasant week's outing at Ocean View.

Miss Lovell, of Richmond, is the guest of Miss Julia Ashburn, of Clay avenue.

Mrs. H. C. Peterson, of Willoughby avenue, returned last night from a delightful visit to friends on the Eastern Shore.

Rev. L. R. Christie went to Hickory Ground yesterday to baptize the candidates that were converted at the meeting he recently held with the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church.

Mrs. S. T. Miller, of Tunstall avenue, and her sister, Miss Hallie Goodman, of Gibb's avenue, have returned from a pleasant visit to friends in West Neck, Princess Anne county, Va.

Miss Boush Whitehurst, of Highland avenue, and Miss Otella Goodson, of Gibb's avenue, are the guests of friends at Sewell's Point.

Rev. L. R. Christie will preach from the following subjects to-day: At 11 a. m., "The Christian As a Tax-payer." At 8 p. m., "The Friends and Foes of Foreign Missions."

An interesting but short game of baseball was played yesterday afternoon between the Bridgeports and Brambleton, resulting in a victory for the Bridgeports by a score of 6 to 2. Five innings only were played. The Scottsbluffs were to play but disappointed the Bridgeports, and as the Brambleton team was on the ground, they very kindly consented to play in Scottsbluffs' place.

LAMBERT'S POINT.

A party of gentlemen to the number of twenty, from this section and Norfolk, left last night on a yachting trip around the Cape. They went out on Captain L. W. Lambert's yacht, George Milner.

Miss Myrtle Powers, who has for some time been confined to her bed with typhoid fever, is now rapidly convalescing.

Mrs. Jones, of Shenandoah avenue, who suffered a stroke of paralysis in her right arm Wednesday, is rapidly recovering under the care of Dr. Doughtie.

A prominent physician was heard to say yesterday that he is now ready to build himself a home; that all he needs is the brick, mortar and timber. He has purchased the lots. They are on Doughtie's avenue.

Mrs. Brooksby, of New York, accompanied by her son and sister, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Carrie Hardy, of Thirty-ninth street.

The game of ball announced to take place yesterday afternoon between the Bridgeport and Scottsbluffs teams, did not come off on account of the latter team failing to put in an appearance.

Rev. P. Bouldin, rector, will preach at St. Mark's Episcopal Church at 11 a. m. to-day. There will be no service at night.

ATLANTIC CITY WARD

Miss Samantha Rogers, of Petersburg, is the guest of Mrs. Harry Smith, on Colley avenue.

Miss Boush Hall, of Richmond, is visiting Miss Garnett Wright, of Avenue A.

Miss Minnie Mae Long, of Front street, has returned from a visit to her sister, in Irvington, Va.

The sewer connections with the houses in the ward have been made, with the exception of about forty, and these will be made during the present week. The completion of this important improvement will not only enhance the health of the ward, but will add greatly to the increased valuation of property.

Miss Annie Beane, the daughter of Sergeant of Police Beane, left last evening for a two weeks' visit to Washington.

Attempted to Commit Suicide.

Gracie King, an unfortunate young white girl, attempted suicide last night at No. 213 Church street. She took 26 tablets of laudanum, a dose too large to produce the desired effect. It is not known whether all danger is past or not, as the quantity of the drug taken was so large that the effect will be some time passing away.

Gracie King is about 19 years old. She was not long ago acquitted in the Corporation Court of the charge of robbery. She is well known in police circles.

DIVINE SERVICES TO-DAY.

The Methodist, Presbyterian, Lutheran, Christian, Church of Christ (Disciples) and Christ Scientist publish their hours of Sunday services in Saturday's issue.

BAPTIST CHURCHES.

Grace, corner of Princess Anne avenue and Church street—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. A. E. Owen, D. D., at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.
Spurgeon Memorial, Windsor avenue, Brambleton—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. L. R. Christie, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.
Park avenue, Brambleton—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. J. J. Hall, D. D., at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

First, corner of Clay and Freemason streets, Rev. E. R. Hatcher, pastor—Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Freemason, corner of Freemason and Bank streets—Preaching by Rev. C. W. Duke at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Central Avenue, Atlantic City—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. E. E. Dudley, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL.

Christ, corner of Freemason and Cumberland streets, Rev. Dr. C. E. Grammer, rector—Morning prayer and sermon by Rev. John H. Dickinson at 11 a. m. No service at 8 p. m.

St. Luke's, corner of Bute and Granby streets, Rev. A. S. Lloyd, D. D., rector—Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 8 p. m.

St. Paul's, Church and Cove streets, Rev. B. D. Tucker, D. D., rector—Preaching by Rev. Henry St. George Tucker at 11 a. m. Evening prayer at 8 p. m.

St. Peter's, Brown avenue, Brambleton, Rev. C. E. Woodson, rector—Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 8:15 p. m.

Emmanuel Chapel, corner of Wide and Calvert streets, Rev. John H. Dickinson, rector—Evening prayer and sermon at 8 o'clock. Wednesday service at 8 o'clock p. m.

CATHOLIC.

St. Mary's, corner of Chapel and Holt streets, Rev. John Dolerty, pastor—Sunday: Early mass at 7 a. m.; high mass at 11 a. m. Vespers and benediction of the blessed sacrament at 5 p. m.

Sacred Heart Church, corner of York and Dunmore streets, Rev. Father T. J. Wilson, pastor—Sunday: First mass, 7:30 a. m.; second mass at 10 a. m. (low mass), followed by benediction of the blessed sacrament.

CHRISTADELPHIAN ECCLESIA.
Hall, corner of Malby and Brambleton avenues—Services at 11 a. m.

AFTERNOON SERVICES.

Services will be held at the Christian Church by Rev. James H. Curtis, minister in charge of the Presbyterian Church, Berkeley, every Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, beginning this afternoon at that hour.

Property Transfers.

In the office of the Clerk of the Corporation Court yesterday the following deeds of bargain and sale were recorded:

Alexander Duane to William H. Taylor, lot fronting 25 feet on the north side of Raleigh avenue; \$1,000.

Henry J. Lambert to Bennett P. Miles, lot fronting 20½ feet on south side Central avenue, near Port street; \$350.

Theodore S. Garnett to Richard Walke, improved lot at No. 60 Bute street, frontage of 66 feet and 3 inches; \$1,400.

Mrs. C. E. Townsend to Frank B. Hodgson, improved lot, fronting 14 feet on south side of Scott street, near Smith street; \$550.

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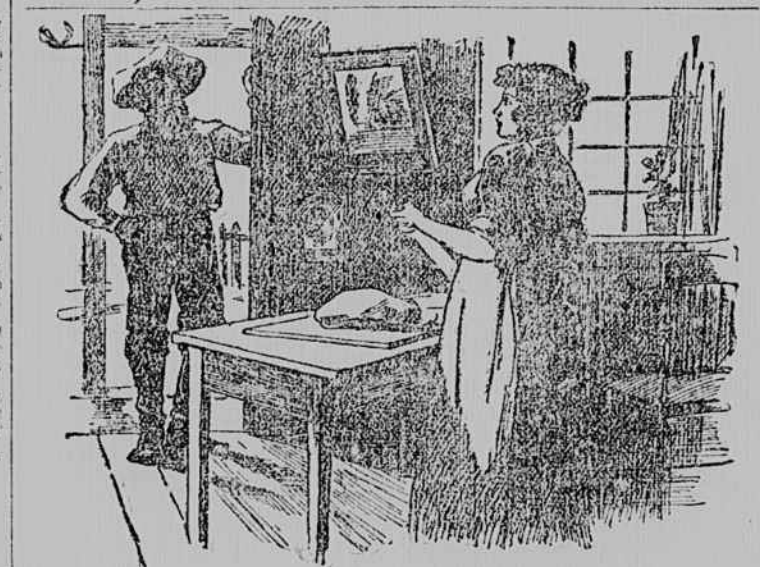
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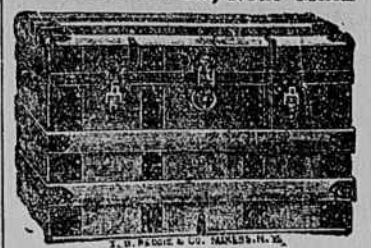


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A new style package containing TEN RIPANS TABULES in a paper carton (without glass) is now for sale at some drug stores—25c. per box. This low priced sale is intended for the poor and the economical. One dozen of the five-cent cartons (120 tabules) can be had by mail by sending forty-eight cents to the RIPANS (CHEMICAL) COMPANY, No. 10 Spruce Street, New York—or a single carton (TEN TABULES) will be sent for five cents.

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